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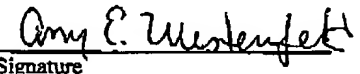
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1. This Transmittal (1 page);
2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 (1 page);
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